

TEL WEST COMMUNICATIONS REQUESTS APPROVAL OF TRANSFER OF ASSETS AND AUTHORITY

Tel West Communications, LLC (Company or Applicant) filed an Application with the Public Service Commission of South Carolina for approval to transfer the Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity, and the Assets of HTR&L Enterprises, Inc. dba Hart Communications to Tel West Communications, LLC. Tel West Communications will provide local exchange service to the former customers of Hart Communications.

A copy of the Application is on file in the offices of the Public Service Commission of South Carolina, Synergy Business Park, Saluda Building, 101 Executive Center Drive, Columbia, South Carolina and is available through Mr. James G. Schrank, Tel West Communications LLC, 3701 S. Norfolk Street, Suite 300, Seattle, Washington 98118.

Any person who wishes to testify and present evidence at a hearing, if scheduled, should notify Bruce F. Duke, Executive Director, at the address below, and Mr. James G. Schrank, at the previously stated address, in writing, on or before **July 7, 2004**, and indicate the amount of time required for his presentation. Please refer to **Docket No. 2004-133-C**.

Any person who wishes to present his views to the Public Service Commission may do so in writing, on or before **July 7, 2004**. Please refer to **Docket No. 2004-133-C**.

Any person who wishes to participate in this matter, as a party of record should file a Petition to Intervene in accordance with the Commission's Procedures, on or before **July 7, 2004**. Please refer to **Docket No. 2004-133-C**.

Persons seeking information about the Commission's Procedures should contact the Commission by dialing (803) 896-5105.

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